



Application N. : 09/925,941
Amendment dated September 16, 2003
Reply to Office Action mailed March 18, 2003

PATENT

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Applicant: STUELPNAGEL *et al.*

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the office action mailed on March 18, 2003 for the above-identified U.S. Patent application. This response is accompanied by a petition for a three-month extension of time and the requisite fee on or before September 18, 2003 making this a timely response. No additional fees are believed due. However the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including extension fees or other relief which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our order No. A-67616-4/RMS/DCF [469249-251]).

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected on page 5 of this paper.

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